

Jenison Historical Association Footnotes

Jenison Historical Association Box 664—28 Port Sheldon Jenison, Michigan 49429-664

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ken Williams (08)—Chairman
Liz Timmer (07)—Vice Chairman/Curator
Dan Carlton —Twp. Rep / Treasurer
Nellie DeLaat (07)—Secretary

Virginia Timmer (09)—Historian

Joyce Klawiter (09)—Trustee/Tours, Archivist

Mary Fanthorpe (07)—Trustee/Advertising

Barb Semeyn (08)—Trustee

Ruth Lowing (08)—Trustee/Editor

Grayce Lancaster (09)—Trustee / Displays

Mike Timmer (07)—Trustee/ Maintenance

(##) = year this position will be re-elected

July 2007



Board Meeting July 19, 2007

6:45p.m.

Location:

Jenison Museum

General membership and public are urged to attend.

Historical Association of Michigan

Find us on the registry of the Historical Society of Michigan at www.hsmichigan.org

Newsletter Notice

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Meeting Minutes—June 21, 2007

Submitted by Nellie DeLaat

Board Members Present: Ken Williams, Nellie DeLaat, Virginia Timmer, Ruth Lowing, Grayce Lancaster, Joyce

Klawiter, Dan Carlton

Members: Anne Foote, Marian Adams

Meeting opened by chairman Ken Williams at 6:45 PM.

Minutes Read. Motion made by Virginia Timmer, Second by Anne Foote to accept minutes.

Treasurers Report read. Motion made by Ruth Lowing,. Second by Marian Adams to accept the Treasurers report.

Association Business:

Bench from Andre's Crossing given to Jenison Museum by Windell Leathead. Bench is on porch at the Museum.

Joyce Klawiter is in charge of documents for articles on loan and donations has updated versions of forms for loans and donations to Museum.

Ken will check on additional insurance for Museum.

Anne Foote discussed July Open house for Victorian Wedding \$100 approved for expenses. Motion made by Joyce Klawiter, seconded by Grayce Lancaster.

Questions about Historical designation of house. The house is a designated Historical House. We are a non-profit organization.

Discussed checking with banks about grants for repairs on Museum. Ken Williams will check with Byron Center and Macatawa Banks. Dan Carlton suggested asking a bank to sponsor an open house at the Museum. Putting a sign out in front of the house saying name of bank who is sponsoring open house or ad in paper thanking bank for sponsoring open house.

Ruth Lowing suggested a way of doing out inventory of Museum using photos of each room. Ruth has a spreadsheet that could link to photos of each room. Another suggestion was to have interns from colleges do the inventory and data base.

Approved \$60.00 to replace cover on gas meter box. Motion by Grayce Lancaster, seconded by Marian Adams.

"Come see the donation of the bench from Andres' Crossing!"

Discussed several different themes for next year's open houses.

Anne Foote shared information about the mirror in the reception area. She explained about the green cast on the mirror.

Finalized plans for July open house. Victorian wedding. Anne Foot has several stories about weddings and customs. Invitations have been sent to Georgetown Board members and several other organizations, inviting them to the mock wedding on July 21, 2007

Motion made to adjourn by Virginia Timmer. Seconded by Marian Adams.

Tentative Agenda for July, 2007

Secretary's report

Treasurer's report

Association Business:

1. New Business

Museum Business:

- Upcoming Open House
- 2. Inventory

Upcoming Open House

We will be featuring Coin Collections at the museum.



If you have anything that would be appropriate for display, please Contact Grayce Lancaster or Mike Timmer.

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Treasurers Report



Submitted by D. Carlton

Year to Date				
Retained Earnings				
2006	\$	2,312.40		
	\$	-		
As of 1/31/05	\$	2,312.40		
Total Income 2007	\$	445.37		
Total Expenses 2007	\$	(177.61)		
Total Equity	\$	2,580.16		
Receivables-Unpaid				
Dues	\$	30.00		
Total Liabilities	\$	45.00		
Cash on Hand	\$	2,625.16		

Income:	6/1 thru 6/30/07	Year to date 07
Books	0.00	11.00
Donations	19.00	235.00
Memorials	0.00	0.00
Dues	0.00	190.00
Mill Print& Photos	0.00	0.00
Stationery	0.00	4.00
Sub Total	\$19.00	\$440.00
Interest	0.87	5.37
Total Income	\$19.87	\$445.37

Expenses:	6/1 thru 6/30/07	Year to date 07
Dues & Subscrip-		
tions	0.00	0.00
Fees	0.00	0.00
Postage	36.00	(36.00)
Repairs/Security		(101.61)
Miscellaneous	0.00	(40.00)
Supplies	0.00	0.00
Insurance	0.00	0.00
Total Expenses	\$36.00	(\$177.61)
Due Grandville for b	ooks	\$ 45.00



2007 Board Meetings Schedule

July 19, 2007—Museum

August 16, 2007—Museum

September 20, 2007—Museum

October 18, 2007—Georgetown Library: Meeting Room

November 15, 2007—Georgetown Library: Meeting Room

Please note meeting location changes shown on each date. All meeting begin at 6:45 PM at the designated location.

2007 Museum Open House Schedule

July 21, 2007 2 to 4 PM

August Closed

September 15, 2007 2 to 4 PM

October 20, 2007 2 to 4 PM

November Closed

December 8, 2007 1 to 4 PM Christmas Open House

January 12, 2008 2 to 4 PM

If you know you can work a particular open house, please call Nellie DeLaat to reserve your spot in the schedule.



Music boxes on display at the recent open house featuring "Music to my Ears"





Jenison Historical Association Mission Statement:

Our mission is to learn about Jenison history, obtain artifacts relating to its history, and maintain the Jenison Historical Museum as a place to share and display our heritage.